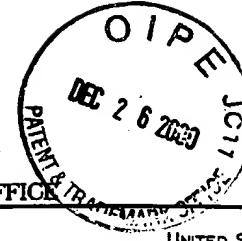




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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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In re the Application of:

MICHAEL S. CHARTIER

Application No.: 09/649,268

Filed: August 28, 2000



For: **MOBILE COMPUTING SYSTEM HAVING A MODEM
AND A METHOD THEREFOR**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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- (3) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application

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Respectfully submitted,

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Donna Jo Coningsby
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Dated: December 20, 2000

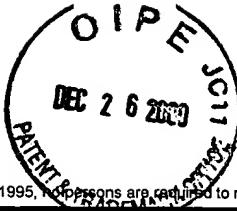
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| Filing Date | August 28, 2000 |
| First Named Inventor | Michael S. Chartier |
| Examiner Name | unassigned |
| Group/Art Unit | 2835 |
| Attorney Docket Number | 42390P9219 |

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Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| 101 | 710 | 201 | 355 | Utility filing fee | |
| 106 | 320 | 206 | 160 | Design filing fee | |
| 107 | 490 | 207 | 245 | Plant filing fee | |
| 108 | 710 | 208 | 355 | Reissue filing fee | |
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| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 102 | 80 | 202 | 40 | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 104 | 260 | 204 | 135 | Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid |
| 109 | 80 | 209 | 40 | **Reissue independent claims over original patent |
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3. ADDITIONAL FEE

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| 105 | 130 | 205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | 130.00 |
| 127 | 50 | 227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet. | |
| 139 | 130 | 139 130 Non-English specification | |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination | |
| 112 | 920* | 112 920*Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
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| 115 | 110 | 215 55 Extension for response within first month | |
| 116 | 390 | 216 195 Extension for response within second month | |
| 117 | 890 | 217 445 Extension for response within third month | |
| 118 | 1,390 | 218 695 Extension for response within fourth month | |
| 128 | 1,890 | 228 945 Extension for response within fifth month | |
| 119 | 310 | 219 155 Notice of Appeal | |
| 120 | 310 | 220 155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 270 | 221 135 Request for oral hearing | |
| 138 | 1,510 | 138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 141 | 1,240 | 241 620 Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 142 | 1,240 | 242 620 Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 440 | 243 220 Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 600 | 244 300 Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 123 | 130 | 123 130 Petitions related to provisional applications | |
| 126 | 180 | 126 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | |
| 581 | 40 | 581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 146 | 710 | 246 355 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 149 | 710 | 249 355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| 179 | 710 | 279 355 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
| 169 | 900 | 169 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application | |
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